Amendment No. 1 to HB0684

<u>Armstrong</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 606

House Bill No. 684*

by deleting Section 1 of the printed bill in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 1, Part 1, is amended by adding the following new section:

71-1-135. The department of human services and the Tennessee board of regents and the University of Tennessee system shall enter agreements as required by federal law to provide interpreter services to deaf and hard of hearing to individuals attending public institutions of higher learning. Deaf and hard of hearing individuals attending these institutions shall be entitled to receive any interpreter services required by federal law at no cost to the individual.